2008 Office of Problem Gambling Training Schedule

Anyone interested in attending is welcome. All courses count toward the training requirements to contract with the OPG for the provision of outpatient problem gambling services. Counselors wishing to contract with the OPG must complete, at a minimum, the Phase I training courses.

To register for any of the training events, please call ACT – Counseling & Education at 602-569-4328. Master Card and Visa accepted.

Each of the following courses is held from 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., provides 6 CEUs, and costs \$50. Counselors outside of Maricopa and Pima Counties attending any of the Phoenix area or Tucson courses will receive 2 registrations for the price of one.

Yuma

Ramada Inn Chilton & Conference Center 300 East 32nd Street Yuma, AZ 85364 1-828-344-1050

General Knowledge and Assessment (Phase I) training will be held April 11-12, 2008.

Phoenix Area

Fiesta Resort Conference Center 2100 South Priest Drive Tempe, Arizona 480-967-1441

| Phase | Topic | Date |
|-------|----------------------------|-----------|
| I | General Knowledge | June 20 |
| I | Assessment | June 21 |
| I | Individual /Group – Part 1 | July 18 |
| I | Individual /Group – Part 2 | July 19 |
| I | Financial Issues | August 16 |

Also at the Phoenix location, an Advanced Training on Brief Interventions will be offered August 15th.

Show Low

Holiday Inn Express 151 West Duece of Clubs Show Low, Arizona 928-537-5115

General Knowledge and Assessment (Phase I) training will be held May 30-31, 2008.

Tucson

The Lodge at Ventana Canyon 6200 North Clubhouse Lane Tucson, Arizona 800-828-5701

| Phase | Topic | Date |
|-------|------------------------|--------------|
| II | Family Issues - Part 1 | September 12 |
| II | Family Issues – Part 2 | September 13 |
| II | Case Management | October 17 |
| II | Legal Issues | October 18 |
| II | Special Populations | November 15 |

Also at the Tucson location, an Advanced Training on the Pathways Model will be offered November 14th.

2008 Office of Problem Gambling Symposium

Emerging Issues: Community and Individual Implications of Problem Gambling

March 3, 2008

Black Canyon Conference Center 9440 N. 25th Ave., Phoenix, AZ

9:00am – 4:00pm

Registration fee: \$75.00, includes lunch

Keynote presentations:

Keeping it Simple with Complicated Patients: Problem Gambling and Co-Occurring Disorders

By: Lori Rugle, PhD

Vice Capades: Problem Gambling and Society By: Bo Bernhard, PhD

To register for the Symposium call Meetings & Concierges Source, LLC @ 480-990-1887 or e-mail at connie@mcsource.net